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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Maor, et al.)
Serial No.: 09/582,522)
Filing Date: April 10, 2000)
For: A GEL COMPOSITION FOR)
SKIN CARE AND PROTECTION)
AND A METHOD OF)
PREPARATION THEREOF)

Group Art Unit:
1619
Examiner:
Berman, A.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Remarks is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed October 24, 2001 for the above referenced application (Paper No. 9). Claims 1-6 are pending in this application. Claims 1-6 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, ¶ 2. The Examiner rejected claims 1, 2, 4 and 6 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b). The Examiner rejected claims 1-6 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a). The Examiner also objected to the Preliminary Amendment of August 24, 2000. Finally, the Examiner objected to the application for failure to include an abstract. Applicants respectfully traverse the Examiner's rejections and amend the application herein.

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